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522 Hart Senate Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20510**- Requests are due by February 15, 2008.**

FISCAL YEAR 2009 PROJECT REQUEST FORM

Project Name: Wrangell, AK Drinking Water System Upgrades

Project Location: Wrangell, AK

Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Long-term, the community needs to replace its reservoir infrastructure to address both public safety and increase water storage. In the nearer term, modifications to the current drinking water treatment facility can help address water shortages the community has faced in the summer due to dry seasons and high seafood processor use in the fishing season. A new water line is needed to the upper reservoir along with another storage tank. Additional filtration is also needed to address high levels of lead, copper, and disinfectant byproducts. Furthermore, there is no backup generator or a sand recycler to address filtration. Lastly, EPA rules require establishment of a fenced settling pond for back-flush water. The projected cost of all these improvements is \$2.1 million.

Related Appropriations Bill: Interior & Environment

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$1.1 million

Total funding to complete this project: \$1.1 million

Number of years to fund this project: 1

Matching funds from the State of Alaska: 0

Matching funds from local and private entities:

The community will meet the 45% match requirement in EPA's State & Tribal Assistance grant program

If this project was funded in prior appropriations bills (within the last five years), list each bill and the amount funded:

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Amount included in the President's FY09 Budget: 0

Amount included in the State of Alaska FY09 Budget: 0

☐ Check this box if state funding was sought but not provided.

List legislation that authorizes this project:

Clean Water and Safe Drinking Water Acts

Check all that apply:

- ☐ A change in the current law is necessary in order to proceed with the project. (If so, attach language and a list of laws that need to be amended)
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Project Name: Wrangell, AK Marine Hydraulic Trailer

Project Location: Wrangell, AK

Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Two years ago, the City received funding from EDA to purchase a marine travel lift so that it could set up a dry dock marine service and repair area for the local fishing fleet as well as for tourist vessels. That lift has been very helpful this past year in attracting some high-end luxury vessels for servicing in addition to the local fleet from Wrangell and other Southeast communities. It has brought needed revenue to the community in its effort to establish a full service Marine Service Facility. The difficulty is that the lift has limited mobility. If there are more than a couple vessels that need servicing and must be moved within the yard, then it can't be put to full use without the means to move and evenly space the vessels at some distance. So the city has identified a 40 ton hydraulic trailer and loader to supplement the lift to carry out this purpose. The cost is projected at \$225,000 and we are seeking the funds through EDA given how favorable the economic return has been with the travel lift.

Related Appropriations Bill: CJS Approps

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$225,000

Total funding to complete this project: \$225,000

Number of years to fund this project: 1

Matching funds from the State of Alaska: 0

Matching funds from local and private entities:

If this project was funded in prior appropriations bills (within the last five years), list each bill and the amount funded:

Amount included in the President's FY09 Budget: 0

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List legislation that authorizes this project:

Economic Development Administration Authorization Act

Check all that apply:

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Project Name: Wrangell, AK Community Center Renovation

Project Location: Wrangell, AK

Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

The current community center is well-built but needs significant renovations. It is heavily used by the community and the schools. Asbestos presence restricts the use of the lower floor; the multi-purpose room's roof leaks; the fire alarms need modernizing; and the windows and siding should be replaced. Projected cost is \$750,000

Related Appropriations Bill: THUD Approps

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$750,000

Total funding to complete this project: \$750,000

Number of years to fund this project: 1

Matching funds from the State of Alaska: 0

Matching funds from local and private entities:

List legislation that authorizes this project:

The Housing and Community Development Act

Check all that apply:

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Project Name: Wrangell, AK Municipal Energy ProjectProject Location: Wrangell, AK

Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Wrangell's building is heated by fuel oil. Replacement of the heating system with electric boilers would allow the community to tap into in excess hydropower capacity as well as save money on its energy bills (22% projection). Cost of the conversion is estimated at \$2.1 million.

Related Appropriations Bill: Energy & Water/Denali CommissionAmount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$2,100,000**Total** funding to complete this project: \$2,100,000Number of years to fund this project: 1Matching funds from the State of Alaska: 0

Matching funds from local and private entities:

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List legislation that authorizes this project:

The Denali Commission Authorization Act**Check all that apply:**

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Project Name: Wrangell, AK Cruise Ship Dock Upgrade

Project Location: Wrangell, AK

Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Major cruise ship service to Wrangell stopped a couple of years ago but Norwegian Cruise Line (NCL) is giving strong consideration to resuming service in 2009 or 2010, which will bring much need tourism revenue into the community during summer months. In order to facilitate NCL's decision, the community has been refurbishing Front Street to make it tourist-friendly and include appropriate retail locations. However, the current dock is aging and does not have adequate capacity for the larger NCL vessels. Upgrades and repairs would cost \$1,750,000 and are critical to sustaining NCL and other larger cruise ship operators' interest in Wrangell as a destination. We are seeking these funds through the Denali Commission's dock program.

Related Appropriations Bill: THUD Approps/Denali Commission

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$1,750,000

Total funding to complete this project: \$1,750,000

Number of years to fund this project: 1

Matching funds from the State of Alaska: 0

Matching funds from local and private entities:

List legislation that authorizes this project:

The Denali Commission Authorization Act

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Project Name: Wrangell, AK Old Mill Dock Upgrade

Project Location: Wrangell, AK

Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Old Mill Dock is where all major seafood shipments are transported and is also where the new Marine Travel Lift operates. It is in need of redecking and new bull rails. Cost is estimated at \$500,000.

Related Appropriations Bill: THUD Approps/Denali Commission

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$500,000

Total funding to complete this project: \$500,000

Number of years to fund this project: 1

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